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## The Wine Advocate Tasting History



### 2006 Anne Amie Pinot Noir Winemaker's Selection

Anne Amie

A Pinot Noir Dry Red Table wine from  
Willamette Valley, Oregon, USA

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Wine Advocate # 179 Oct 2008	Jay Miller	90	Drink: 2008 - 2014	\$24-\$32 (39)

The 2006 Pinot Noir Winemaker's Selection spent nine months in a mix of seasoned and new French oak. Medium- to dark ruby-colored, the nose offers up spicy, toasty black cherry and black raspberry aromas leading to a dense, plush, dark fruit flavored wine with good complexity and concentration. There are no hard edges to this tasty effort which will drink well over the next six years.

Once known as Chateau Benoit, the winery focused on sparkling wines in its earliest incarnation. In 1999 the Benoits retired, the winery was sold, and the first Anne Amie vintage occurred in 2001. The bubbly is history and the estate now produces 14,500 cases of table wine from its 120 acres, 55 in production.

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